

has retained unto this day, and which grew with his spiritual growth, and strengthened with his spiritual strength. Bishop Morris, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, and Bishop Marvin, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, were largely indebted to the Class-meeting for the influence that brought them to Jesus and into the Church, and that made their ministry so fruitful of blessing to the world.

Thirty thousand Class-leaders would become the very strongest spiritual support of the pastors. Their office is so distinctly religious that it tends to make theirs the fairest, clearest minds in all temporal discussions and policy in the quarterly meetings and other official bodies. Their work is so allied in character to that of the pastors that they can readily enter into their feelings and plans, and so become their safe advisers and cordial co-workers.

Thirty thousand Class-leaders would furnish the very help needed in the spiritual oversight of a spiritual Church. Mark the expression: the spiritual oversight of a spiritual Church. It suggests the princi-